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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

Stephen E. Savas

Application No.: 09/692,255

Filed: 10/19/2000

For: Systems and Methods for Photoresist Strip
And Residue Treatment in Integrated
Circuit Manufacturing

) Group Art Unit: 1746

) Examiner: Alexander Markoff

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Commissioner for Patents
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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Introductory Comments:

Applicants submit this Amendment in response to the Office Action mailed on December 4, 2003. Reconsideration of the above referenced application is respectfully requested in view of the following amendments and remarks.